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Good afternoon,

Thank you for sending in your request to meet with the Secretary. I have cc'ed our Scheduling & Advance Office, who will help coordinate from here.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Best,
Caroline

On Fri, Jun 8, 2018 at 4:03 PM, Soo Ing-Moody <townmayor@townoftwisp.com> wrote:

Dear Secretary Zinke,

I am writing to request a meeting time with you during our upcoming visit to DC (Monday June 18-Wednesday June 20) to discuss the Methow Headwaters Mineral Withdrawal request currently underway in Washington state. We acknowledge the mutual importance of this topic to you, your department, and our community's interests. As such, we place great value in the opportunity for us to meet and share thoughts and steps forward on this important topic.

We have been working closely with Congressman Newhouse and his office who have been very supportive of our community's effort. We have overwhelming local, regional, and state-wide support of our request from elected officials at all levels, as well as various other organizations representing citizens, ranchers, farmers, and outdoor recreationalists, including outdoor sportsman's groups. Our delegation visiting DC represents this diversity and comprises of the following individuals from our Methow Headwaters Mineral Withdrawal Campaign:

- Maggie Coon, Board Chair, Methow Valley Citizens Council
- Soo Ing-Moody, Mayor, Town of Twisp
- Kevin van Bueren, Methow Valley business owner and Methow Valley Fly Fishing club board member
- Jay Kehne, Conservation Northwest Associate
- Hannah Dewey, Organizer, Methow Headwaters Campaign

Additionally, Congressman Newhouse and/or his staff intend to join us in meetings, when possible.

We appreciate the value of your time and would be extremely grateful for a slice out of your very busy schedule.

I thank you for your consideration of our meeting and withdrawal request, and sincerely look forward to an opportunity to personally meet you and discuss the next steps of this critical request.

I look forward to hearing from you, or your office, at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely and with best wishes,

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Soo Ing-Moody

Mayor

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